

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY ANKARA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 030  
INFO AMCONSUL ISTANBUL  
USMISSION USBERLIN  
AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS  
AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OREP  
SUBJECT: CODEL WILLIAMS/STEVENS

REF: DA WASHDC (DTG 291831Z DEC 77)

1. EMBASSY WELCOMES VISIT OF CODEL TO ANKARA.
2. AMOUNT OF TIME ALLOTTED FOR ANKARA VISIT (10:00 TO 14:00)  
PRESENTS PROBLEMS IN VIEW OF FACT THAT ONE HOUR EACH WAY MUST  
BE ALLOWED BETWEEN AIRPORT AND CITY. WE WOULD LIKE TO SUGGEST,  
THEREFORE, THAT VISIT BE EXTENDED TWO HOURS. DEPARTURE  
AT 16:00 WILL ALLOW CODEL TO ARRIVE IN ISTANBUL BY 17:00  
AND BE IN HOTEL THERE BY 18:00. WE WOULD PROPOSE TO LEAVE  
CODEL FREE THAT NIGHT, ALTHOUGH OUR STAFF AT CONGEN ISTANBUL  
WILL BE PREPARED TO ASSIST THEM IN ANY WAY. THE FOLLOWING  
DAY, THERE WILL BE A FULL PROGRAM ARRANGED, INCLUDING A  
LUNCHEON AND A RECEPTION IN THE EVENING.
3. IN ANKARA, WE BELIEVE MOST IMPORTANT ASPECT OF VISIT  
IS OPPORTUNITY FOR AMBASSADOR AND FEW MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF TO  
HAVE INTENSIVE DISCUSSION OF U.S.-TURKISH PROBLEMS WITH  
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SENATORS AND PRINCIPAL STAFF MEMBERS. WE WOULD PROPOSE A  
STAG WORKING LUNCHEON FOR SENATORS AND KEY STAFF MEMBERS AT WHICH  
AMBASSADOR WOULD GIVE A SHORT BRIEFING, AND THERE WOULD BE  
OPPORTUNITY FOR FULL AMERICANS-ONLY DISCUSSION. WE WOULD ALSO  
HOPE TO ARRANGE FOR SENATORS TO MEET WITH SOME KEY TURKISH  
POLITICAL FIGURES. WE BELIEVE THIS MIGHT BEST BE DONE  
BY A CALL OR TWO BEFORE LUNCH. ALTERNATIVELY, HOWEVER, WE

MIGHT INVITE SENIOR TURKS TO LUNCHEON IN WHICH CASE  
WE WOULD ARRANGE FOR AN HOUR-LONG, AMERICANS-ONLY SESSION  
BEFORE LUNCH. WE WILL ARRANGE A SEPARATE PROGRAM FOR WIVES.

4. A MAJOR PROBLEM, AS YOU WILL HAVE ALREADY ANTICIPATED,  
IS THAT GOVERNMENT WILL PROBABLY BE FORCED TO RESIGN  
TOMORROW, AND IT IS QUITE POSSIBLE THAT BY JANUARY 12,  
NO NEW GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE BEEN FORMED. IT IS HARD TO  
ANTICIPATE WHAT MIGHT BE HAPPENING ON JAN. 12, AND IT IS  
CONCEIVABLE THAT KEY FIGURES WOULD, ON THAT DAY, BE ACTUALLY  
INVOLVED IN FORMATION OF NEW GOVERNMENT. WE WILL KEEP YOU IN-  
FORMED AND ADJUST OUR PLANS ACCORDING TO CIRCUMSTANCES.

5. CONTROL OFFICER FOR VISIT IS DCM ROBERT DILLON.  
HE MAY BE TELEPHONED AT HOME THROUGH EMBASSY SWITCH-  
BOARD. EMBASSY PHONE IS 26-54-70.  
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